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March & April 2011 Calendar

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Café Valparaíso Restaurant: 510-841-3800

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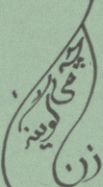
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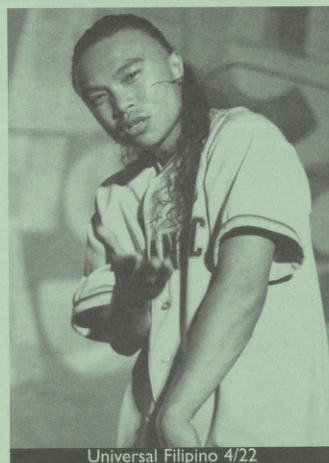
La Peña Cultural Center • March 2011

MONDAYS & TUESDAYS	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Classes at La Peña. Please check www.lapena.org  Cascada de Flores 3/5	2 Café Science in Lobby 7pm Free	3 Tatia Oden French Memorial Foundation House of Lite A benefit for a transitional home for single moms 7pm \$10-\$100 sliding scale* (\$5 kids)	4 Irrupción Social Presenta Aquí...No pasa nada!! Teatro en Español Dir. by Erwin Cox 8pm \$10 gen.	5 Cascada de Flores 10:30am Evening Concert: Los trovadores son de flores Cascada de Flores 8pm \$15 adv. \$18 dr.	6 Rumba 3:30pm Two choruses celebrate 100 years of International Women's Day La Peña Community Chorus, Vukani Mawethu 7pm \$17 adv. \$20 dr.
8 & 9 Two Days Only: Tuesday 8 & Wednesday 9  Golden Thread Productions presents What do the Women Say? An Evening of Poetry and Performance by Women of the Middle East 7:30pm \$10		10 Documentary Race to Nowhere 7pm \$10 adv. \$15 dr.*	11 Moviendo Montañas Concert Mamacoatl Women Voices Rising to Reclaim the Earth Plus special guests 8:30pm \$15 gen.	12 Moroccan music with Yassir Chadly & Zuwaran Nabee 8pm \$12 adv. \$14 dr. 3:30-5:30pm • New World Border Exhibit Reception in Theater	13 The ReSisters in Concert Pat Wynne Hali Hammer Liliana Herrera Special Guest: Bernard Gilbert 7:30pm \$12
14 Monday, March 14, 2011, 6:30pm You are cordially invited to La Peña's major fundraising & community building event of the year: NEW VOICES At the Oakland Asian Cultural Center 388 - 9th St. \$35 (minimum donation) Dinner & program. For Reservations call (510) 849-2568, ext. 12.	16 Café Valparaíso Open	17 Café Valparaíso Open Thursday, March 17 Steelo Entertainment Presents The Oakland Lyricist Lounge Live music by amazing local artists of different genres \$8 b4 8pm \$10 after All Ages	18 Café Valparaíso Open Make a difference through the arts! Support La Peña! Donate on-line Check our website for added programs www.lapena.org	19 Miss Kitty 10:30am AI Musiq The Music DJ Emancipacion, Mazen Nassar, Aima the Dreamer, Tru Bloo & more! 8pm \$8 adv. \$10 dr.	20 Rumba 3:30pm CHECK LA PEÑA'S WEB SITE FOR MORE INFO & UP-TO-THE MINUTE PROGRAMMING WWW.LAPENA.ORG
 The ReSisters 3/13	23 Author/activist/poet Margaret Randall My Years in Cuba 7pm \$15 gen.* (no one turned away for lack of funds)	24 Bay Area Boricuas, Inc. La Operación Documents the history of sterilization of Puerto Rican women 7pm \$8-\$10 sliding scale*	25 	26 Paul Silvera 10:30am Embodiment Project Three Days: March 25, 26 & 27 Nicole Klaymoon's Witness ten performers using street dance, spoken word, theater, and song 8pm \$12-\$20 sliding scale (\$8 students)	27 Mexican Tardeada 3pm • Free
 Mamacoatl 3/11	30 CHECK LAPENA.ORG FOR UP-TO-THE-MINUTE PROGRAMMING  Paul Silvera 10:30am 3/26	31  Miss Kitty 3/19	La Peña's Art Exhibits In the Theater: March 3 - April 30. The New World Border. Thirty artists from around the US respond to the border wall. The wall, now being constructed across the length of the US/Mexico border is like a knife cutting off neighbors, wildlife, indigenous people, & families. In the Lobby: March 3 - March 30. Pomegranate, Jarrito and Blue. Acrylic on canvas art work by Eduardo Diaz.		

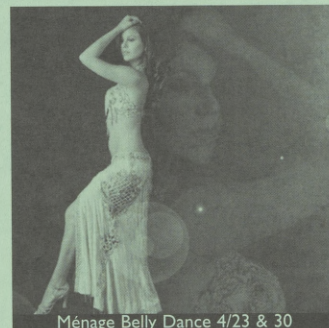
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Maestra 4/6



Universal Filipino 4/22



Ménage Belly Dance 4/23 & 30

WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY SUNDAY



Jaranon y Bochinche 4/29

6 Café Science in Lobby
7pm Free

A film about the Cuban
Literacy Campaign of 1961

Maestra

One of the farthest-reaching
& most successful literacy
campaigns to date
7pm \$10

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RENT LA PEÑA

Plan your community
activity at La Peña. Priority
is given to day time
rentals. Call us at
(510) 849-2568 ext. 13

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Asian American
Talent Showcase
Go Ohana
7:30pm \$10

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Los Mapaches 10:30am

The African connection between
Mexico & Peru
Son Jarocho & Peruvian
dance performances
8pm \$10 adv. \$12 gen.

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Stagebridge Senior Theater
Company presents
Fire and Ice
Come and hear how our earth
has changed lives forever
3:30pm \$12 gen. \$10
(students & seniors)

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Stagebridge 4/10

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**Quake City
Juke Box!**

Foss's B-Day Bash. All ages.
9pm \$5 adv. \$10 dr.

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Abbey 10:30am

Five piece Jazz band
Love-u-Down
8pm \$12 gen.
\$10 students

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ATTENTION STUDENTS:

Do your part for Cultural Activism and
Social Justice and become a La Peña vol-
unteer or intern today! Internships for
school credit can also be arranged. Call
Mariola at (510) 849-2568 ext. 13 or mario-
la@lapena.org

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Solo Hip Hop theater
**Universal
Filipino**

written and performed by
Jeremy Bautista, Kilusan
8pm \$15 adv. \$20 dr.

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Bonnie Lockhart 10:30am

Classical Belly Dance
Ménage
Part One
8pm \$15 adv. \$20 dr.

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LA PEÑA CLASSES
Afro-Peruvian Youth
Ensemble
Beginning Latin
Percussion
Beg/Inter. Djembe
Bomba Percussion &
Dance Youth
Afro-Puerto Rican
Dance
La Peña Community
Chorus
Latin Jazz Orchestra
Puerto Rican Music
Ensemble
Traditional Afro-
Peruvian Cajón
Vocals for Kids!

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Thursday, April 28
Bridging the West Coast
to the Left Coast with
**Marc Bamuthi
Joseph &
Blitz the
Ambassador**
8pm \$10 adv. \$15 gen.

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**Jaranon y
Bochinche**

Afro-Peruvian
Music and Dance
8:30pm \$16 adv. \$18 dr.

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Tribal Belly Dance
Ménage
Part Two: The Journey of
Tribal Style Belly Dance
8pm \$15 adv. \$20 dr.

La Peña's Art Exhibit

In the Lobby: April 1 - May 1
Rabea Chaudhry.

Original art work features
contemporary Arabic calligraphy
as the symbolic representation
of inner peace, with the
background representing
humanity's lived experiences.



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and a global vision that promotes peace, social justice and cultural
understanding through the arts, education and social action.

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Dinner & program. For Reservations call (510) 849-2568, ext. 12

Day Time Box Office Hours

Day time box office: **Mon.-Fri. from 2-6pm. Purchase Tickets By Phone:** Using your credit card, call 510-849-2568 x20, Mon.- Fri. from 2-6pm (there is a \$2 service charge per ticket). Tickets will be held at the will-call window and can be picked up 30 minutes prior to show time. **In Person:** Avoid the \$2 service charge by paying with cash or check. **Online:** purchase online through Brown Paper Tickets (brownpapertickets.com). Tickets will be held at the will-call window and can be picked up 30 min. prior to show time. **By Mail:** Send a check 6 days prior to the event to: La Peña Box Office, 3105 Shattuck Ave. Berkeley, CA 94705. Please include your name, number of tickets, day of the event, and a daytime phone number. Tickets can be picked up at the will-call window 30 min. prior to show time. **Having an advance ticket DOES NOT guarantee seating. Please arrive half hour prior to show time. For questions please call us at 510-849-2568 ext. 20, or info@lapena.org.**

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